

Atty. Dkt. No. 027053-0109

☐ Applicants hereby petition for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for the total number of months checked below:

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| <input type="checkbox"/>                    | Extension for response filed within the first month:  | \$120.00   | \$0.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/>                    | Extension for response filed within the second month: | \$450.00   | \$0.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/>                    | Extension for response filed within the third month:  | \$1,020.00 | \$0.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/>                    | Extension for response filed within the fourth month: | \$1,590.00 | \$0.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/>                    | Extension for response filed within the fifth month:  | \$2,160.00 | \$0.00 |
| EXTENSION FEE TOTAL:                        |   |            | \$0.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/>                    | Statutory Disclaimer Fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.20(d):     | \$130.00   | \$0.00 |
| CLAIMS, EXTENSION AND DISCLAIMER FEE TOTAL: |   |            | \$0.00 |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>         | Small Entity Fees Apply (subtract ½ of above):        |            | \$0.00 |
| TOTAL FEE:                                  |   |            | \$0.00 |

If any extensions of time are needed for timely acceptance of papers submitted herewith, applicant hereby petitions for such extension under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 and authorizes payment of any such extensions fees to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

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***IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE***

Applicants: Angela M. BELCHER et al.

Title: FABRICATED BIOFILM STORAGE DEVICE

Appl. No.: 10/668,600

Filing Date: 09/24/2003

Examiner: My Chau Tran

Art Unit: 1639

**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT AND AMENDMENT**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Non-Final Office Action dated March 20, 2006, concerning the above-referenced patent application.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this document.

**Remarks** begin on page 20 of this document.

Please amend the application as follows: